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In re Application of:
Stamires, Dennis, et al.

Serial No.: 10/072,630
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For: DOPED ANIONIC CLAYS



Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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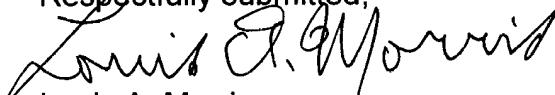
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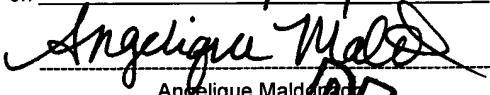

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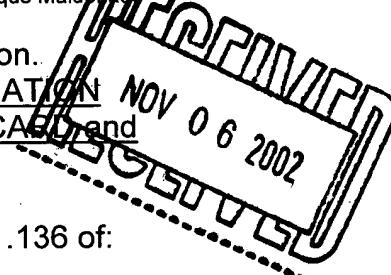
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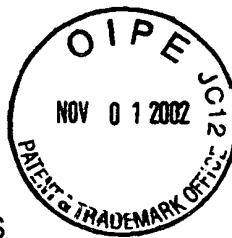
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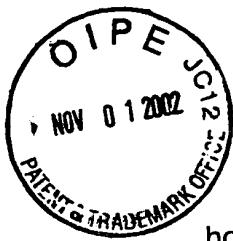
SUPPLIMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.56, applicants submit the documents attached hereto to be made of record in the above-identified case. A listing of said documents on form PTO-1449 is also attached.

The documents submitted herewith are mentioned in the corresponding International Patent Application Search Report dated July 26, 2002.

The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the mailing date of the International Search Report in this case; therefore, no filing fee is believed to be required. If a filing fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the applicants' deposit account 01-1350 for full amount of said fee.

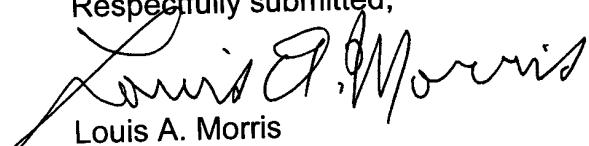


International Patent No.: WO 96/30440 is not available in English language, however US Patent No.: 6,261,530 is being submitted herewith as an English equivalent.

This statement is not intended to represent that no better art exists. Applicants reserve the right to contest the applicability of the documents attached hereto as prior art in the event that any information is discovered which demonstrates that said documents do not qualify as prior art.

Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, deemed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the prior art.

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